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USSR NEEDS MORE HORMONE PREPARATIONS

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Theoretical and practical work in endocrinology has given the peoples of the USSR such valuable products as insulin, adrenalin, folliculin, pituitrin, parathyroecrin, cortin, and others. Today's mode of life of USSR inhabitants requires more hormone preparations made from various endocrine glands. During the prewar period USSR factories were producing pituitrin A, T, and R, prolan (A and B). Today, however, for no particular reason, neither the Moscow nor the Khar'kov Endocrinological Institute are manufacturing these hypophyseal preparations.

It is necessary at this time to rebuild the endocrinological industry, and to increase the network of affiliated institutions like the one at Kiev.

In addition to the manufacture of many synthetic hormone preparations, there is a pressing need for insulin.

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